DOE/EIA-0218(85/42) Distribution Category UC-98 **Weekly Coal Energy Information Administration** Washington, D C **Production** Production for Week Ended: October 19, 1985

Highlights

U.S. coal production in the week ended October 19, 1985, as estimated by the Energy Information Administration, totaled 17.53 million tons (bituminous coal and lignite, 17.45 million tons; Pennsylvania anthracite .08 million tons). This was 3.6 percent lower than the previous week, and was 19.8 percent higher than production in the corresponding week of 1984.

Cumulative U.S. coal production from January 1 through October 19, 1985 was estimated at 715.53 million tons, 3.9 percent below the 744.51 million tons produced in the comparable period in 1984.

The methodology used to make weekly estimates of coal production was last published in the Weekly Coal Production (DDE/EIA-0218(84/40)).

Figure 1. Coal Production

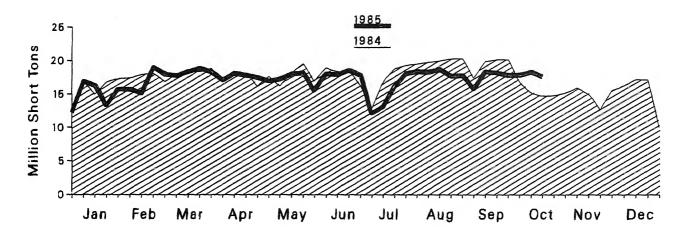


Table 1. Coal Production

Production and Carloadings	Week Ended			Year to Date Ended		
	10/19/85	10/12/85	10/20/84	10/19/85	10/20/84	Percent Change
Production (Thousand Short	Tons)		<u> </u>			<u> </u>
Bituminous <u>l</u> / and Lignite. Pennsylvania Anthracite U.S. Total	17,450 81 17,531	18,099 84 18,183	14,562 77 14,639	712,519 3,006 715,525	741,162 3,351 744,512	-3.9 -10.3 -3.9
Railroad Cars Loaded	116,282	120,772	94,579	4,690,567	4,933,069	

Includes subbituminous coal. Note: 1985 data are preliminary. Sources: Association of American Railroads, Transportation Division, Weekly Statement CS-54A; Energy Information Administration, Form EIA-6, "Coal Distribution Report"; and State mining agency coal production reports.

Table 2. Coal Production by State

(Thousand Short Tons)

Region and State	Week Ended				
	10/19/85	10/12/85	10/20/84		
ituminous Coal <u>l</u> / and Lignite					
East of the Mississippi	11,919	12,421	9 459		
Alabama	482	501	8,458		
Georgia	.22	201	503		
Illinois	1,364	1,445	1 1/0		
Indiana	784		1,149		
Kentucky	3,239	724	672		
Kentucky, Eastern		3,425	2,313		
Kentucky, Western	2,461	2,603	1,583		
Maryland	777	822	730		
Ohio	_28	30	45		
Ohio	783	851	514		
Pennsylvania Bituminous	1,386	1,495	1,071		
Tennessee	157	162	150		
Virginia	954	976	537		
West Virginia	2,743	2,811	1,504		
West of the Mississippi	5,531	5,678	6,104		
Alaska	36	37	18		
Arizona	156	162	204		
Arkansas	(*)	(*)	1		
Colorado	330	363	377		
Iowa	10	11			
Kansas	28	29	11		
Louisiana	4		26		
Missouri	97	3			
Montana		103	107		
New Mexico	538 707	547	688		
North Dakota	326	377	321		
Oklahama	435	442	542		
Oklahoma	_78	74	89		
Texas	756	785	677		
Utah	265	279	223		
Washington	94	98	68		
Wyoming	2,377	2,370	2,752		
tuminous <u>l</u> / and Lignite Total	17,450	18,099	14,562		
nnsylvania Anthracite	81	84	77		
S. Total	17,531	18,183	14,639		

 ^(*) Rounded to zero
 i/ Includes subbituminous coal.
 Notes: 1985 data are preliminary. Total may not equal sum of components be-

ause of independent rounding.

Sources: Association of American Railroads, Transportation Division, Weekly tatement CS-54A; Energy Information Administration, Form EIA-6, "Coal Distribution Reort"; and State mining agency coal production reports.

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